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# From The Editor...

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Hello again from beautiful downtown Lakewood!

Well, as you can tell, this issue is all about Field Day 2008. FD has come and gone, and if you did not have a chance to participate, you missed a good time!

This year, FD was held on the grounds of the Western State Hospital, just as we did last year. The site is a good one, and last year the Lakewood summer festival was held at Ft. Steilacoom park just across the street. This year the festival was on the weekend preceding FD, so there was less noise and confusion to deal with.

We had seven transmitters on the air and seven times the fun! Plus the GOTA station and the picnic tent and Safety Station.

All-in-all, a busy and fun weekend!

At the back of this issue, there are pages of FD photos.

The major contributors of the photos were: Bob AD7LJ, Worth W7WG and me, Gary WG7X.

All contributions are gratefully accepted, but remember, there is only so much space available, and any and all photos, and other contributions are subject to editing, and are then considered property of the newsletter...

So with that all said, lets jump right in! I hope that you all enjoy the FD issue of the "Loggers Bark"

Oh, that picture?

That's the ten meter secret squirrel...

Please note that the TMSS is on the key!

73 Gary!



# Radio Club of Tacoma

## BOARD MEETING 4 June, 2008

The Board meeting was held at the Radio Club of Tacoma club house. President Randy Thompson AD7FF called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm

Officers and board members present:

President: Randy Thompson -- AD7FF

Treasurer: Gary McFadden -- K7UPG

Board Member: Al Burleson K7HW

Board Member: Bob Purdom -- AD7LJ

Board Member: Frank Palmer -- AC7LJ

Board Member: Gary Kohtala -- K7EK

*A sign in sheet with the names of members and guests is attached. There were 8 names on the attendance roster*

**MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS:** Were approved as coordinated by e-mail

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Given by Al Burleson K7HW

**Correspondence:** Included banks statements for RCT Checking and VE accounts, the phone bill and the Broadband Internet Access bill... An E-mail from Stan Nelson, expressing interest in the Club's recently acquired Motorola Micor Mobile Unit.

*A copy of the correspondence log is attached to the original copy of the minutes.*

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Gary McFadden -- K7UPG reported the current Checking account balance of \$2801.19.

*A copy of the Monthly financial statement is attached to the original copy of the minutes.*

**ILLNESS AND SILENT KEY:** No report

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Membership:** Rick Rose KE7EMW reported current membership at 290

**Hamfest Report:** Bob, AC7LJ reported the Hamfest activity is going well, we have several table requests.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**Mike and Key:** There was a discussion of the Mike and Key obligation arising out of a past Field Day challenge. Nick K7MO is the point of contact, but so far, we have not closed on the obligation.

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**Packet System:** Pending; Gary K7EK has approval already to move the packet system to 220 MHz; all he needs now is a 25 watt FM radio. Al K7HW gave Bob Heselberg K7MXE four three element Yagi antennas, which may be useful as a backbone antenna for the Packet system.

**Network Status:** No report, but expecting the router to fail as the summer gets warmer and the radio room heats up.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**Motorola Micor Repeater:** A discussion of the request from Stan Nelson, K7DKK who inquired about acquiring the Club's older Motorola Micor unit to use as a repeater for the City of Eatonville Emergency Operations Center. After considerable discussion, a motion was made, seconded and passed to donate the Motorola Micor unit to the City of Eatonville EOC.

**Membership Status and Procedures:** KE7EMW reviewed current membership types and their privileges. His research included determining the current expiration of our member's licenses.

Rick also provided an overview of a proposed change in membership procedures to monitor and notify members of pending FCC Amateur Radio License expirations by mail. The new procedure would also advise members of changes in their membership status and privileges if they fail to renew their FCC license.

A motion was made, seconded and passed to implement the changed membership procedures.

**Donations:** Recent donations include a vintage Paper Tape "Code Instructor" and an equipment cabinet.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

#### **DISCUSSION TOPICS:**

**Tall Ships:** Ms. Francis of the Working Waterfront has been contacted and the issue remains pending.

**W7DK Kirkreit Picnic:** Coming up Saturday, 14 June at Spanaway Lake Park from 11:30 am to 2 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30

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## **GENERAL MEETING MINUTES** **11 June, 2008**

The 11 June 2008 Monthly Membership meeting was held at the Pierce County Library Administration Building. . President Randy Thompson AD7FF called the meeting to order at 7:31 PM.

Officers and board members present:

President: Randy Thompson -- AD7FF  
Vice President: Jill Palmer -- K7JLL  
Secretary: Larry Watson -- KD4VOM  
Treasurer: Gary McFadden -- K7UPG  
Board Member: Frank Palmer -- AC7JY

*A sign in sheet with the names of members and guests is attached. There were 56 names on the attendance roster*

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Was led by President Randy Thompson AD7FF

### **INTRODUCTIONS:**

Self introductions were completed and guests welcomed

### **ILLNESS OR SILENT KEY:**

Bob Purdom AC7LJ, Al Burleson K7HW and several others are suffering from a virulent virus that is going around.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Larry Watson -- KD4VOM

**Correspondence:** Larry reported the usual club newsletters, utility bills and bank statements.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Gary McFadden -- K7UPG

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Membership:** No report

**Technician Class:** Larry KD4VOM reported for Steve AD7AB on the June 7 and 8 Technician's Class; seven students completed the course.

**June Volunteer Examiners Session:** Larry KD4VOM and Jon Hamilton reported for John Clarke AC7WW on the 10 June VE Session where Harry W7HSA, Steve KD7UBE, Al AC7BU, Jon AD7AW, Rich KK7VH, Steve AD7AB and Bill AD7QI administered eleven elements with six being passed. Four new Technicians joined the Amateur Radio Service, Two candidates upgraded to Extra.

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**PROGRAMS:** Ken Gibson N7ELF announced tonight's programs; First Nick K7MO's review of the planning status for Field Day, and then Al Williams K7PUC's presentation of a program on Antenna Modeling, using EZNEC software.

**Field Day Planning:** Nick reviewed all of the stations we have planned for this year's Field Day and reminded all that the load up will happen around 8:30 Friday Morning 27 June. Actual Field Day operations will occur from 11 am Saturday to 11 am Sunday. Nick called for assistance in Antenna erection, laying power cables etc. There will be the traditional Saturday Potluck meal, however, Rich Manson N7ANF will most likely not be able to manage the Field Day kitchen. Casey WY7V and a couple of others offered to help. We will be using 446.025 MHz for talk around, K7MO, and several others offered to help copy the necessary traffic messages. Need someone to put out the signs...

Welcome Station: John AC7WW & Connie

80 CW; 15CW & SSB: Don AC7FA

80 SSB: Bill AD7QI and Harry W7HSA

20 SSB: Nick K7MO, Clay K7CR and Bruce WB7TVS

20 CW: Harry K7LAZ and Alan N7BF

40 CW: Rich KR7W

40 SSB: Chuck AC7QN and the Bus...

10 CW/SSB: Gary WG7X, Bob W7EXC & Pete KK7QW

UHF/VHF: Charles KD7UAN

GOTA: Al N7OMS, Roger KE7EMV,

Satellite: Bob AC7LJ

Kitchen: Casey WV7Y, Bill KB7IHB,

Safety and Security: Rick KE7EMW and Crew...

### **Antennas -- How they work and the EZNEC software tool**

Al Williams K7PUC gallantly pressed on with an interesting tutorial on the value of using antenna modeling to understand how antennas work and how the EZNEC antenna software can be used to analyze antenna characteristics and optimize antenna construction.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**None**

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**None:**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

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### **Neighborhood Watch/Pierce County Neighborhood Emergency Teams:**

Bud Larsen, KE7GB – Reviewed the previous meeting's solicitation for members interested in the PC NET program. Several have signed up, and Bud passed around the sign up list for those interested.

**Picnic:** Larry Watson KD4VOM announced the upcoming Kirkreit Picnic. Saturday, 14 June at Spanaway Lake Park, 11:30 am to 2 pm. Bring whatever pot luck food you like, the Club will provide hot dogs, buns and refreshments. Rich KR7W is bringing gear for the Bunny Hunt. Could use some setup and tear down help, Contact Larry.

**Request for help:** Rich N7ANF is moving near the end of the month and could use some help. His number is in the roster.

### **Discussion Topics:**

**Hot press Raffle for Frank and Jill:** Dan KB7HIN reminded folks of the Club Logo Jacket and Hat being raffled for \$ 5.00 a ticket to raise funds to assist Frank AC7JY and Jill K7JIL in replacing their vandal damaged tower and antenna.

### **Door Prize:**

The Yaesu Hat Door Prize was won by Worth, W7WG

The meeting was adjourned at 9:04 pm

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### **GENERAL MEETING MINUTES**

**25 June, 2008**

The 25 June 2008 Monthly Membership meeting was held at the Pierce County Library Administration Building. . President Randy Thompson AD7FF called the meeting to order at 7:27 PM.

Officers and board members present:

President: Randy Thompson -- AD7FF  
Vice President: Jill Palmer -- K7JIL  
Secretary: Larry Watson -- KD4VOM  
Treasurer: Gary McFadden -- K7UPG  
Board Member: Alan Lentz -- W7AML  
Board Member: Al Burleson -- K7HW  
Board Member: Bob Purdom -- AD7LJ  
Board Member: Frank Palmer -- AC7JY

*A sign in sheet with the names of members and guests is attached. There were 49 names on the attendance roster*

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Was led by President Randy AD7FF

### **INTRODUCTIONS:**

Self introductions were completed and guests welcomed

### **ILLNESS OR SILENT KEY:**

Sally Crawford, KB7PKJ and XYL of former President Mike Crawford WB7FQ has passed away. Jill has sent a condolence card. Al K7PUC is reported ill and recovering slowly.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Larry Watson -- KD4VOM

**Correspondence:** Larry reported the usual utility and phone bills, bank statements and other club newsletters

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Gary McFadden -- K7UPG available for review

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:** None

**PROGRAM:** Bob Purdom AD7LJ and Nick Winter K7MO presented tonight's program which was the final review of our annual Field Day Plans.

The Field Day planning presentation was preceded by an excellent Amateur Radio and Field Day promotional video taken from You Tube. Short, to the point and covered all the important Amateur Radio activities.

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The short video was followed by an item by item review of the Field Day plan. A short note of changed ARRL Field Day rules, a request for someone to take on the hands on ¼ wave ground plane homebrew antenna demonstration was accepted by Frank AC7JY. Station Chiefs and crews were reviewed along with the systems, antennas, shelters and all of the other key functions, reception, kitchen, safety and comfort, as well as the Friday morning pack up and delivery schedule. We always need folks to bring gasoline for the generators and especially this year when prices are so high. The Saturday Potluck will be at 6 pm, bring whatever you like to eat and the club will provide hamburgers and hot-dogs, if you bring a cooler, bring a bag of ice too. This year's Get On The Air station rules have changed and we need folks who have not participated in the GOTA station in prior years. No license needed, and certificates will be earned...

The Puyallup ARES group has been invited to come and observe our operations...

*A copy of the Field Day plan and schedule are attached to the original copy of the minutes.*

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None

**NEW BUSINESS:** None

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

There will be no Open House at the Clubhouse this Saturday in favor of attending the Field Day operations.

**Door Prize:**/Winner

A small parts cleaner donated by Steve KD7UBE was won by Jay KD7DKY's friend Angel

Dan Warner K7HIN's RCT Logo Jacket and Hat were won by Leonard Burstiner KA7NWF

The meeting was adjourned at 20:30

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## VE REPORT John AC7WW

On Tuesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> seven candidates and eight Volunteer Examiners were at the Radio Club of Tacoma's clubhouse. Eleven elements were graded with six being passed. One candidate failed to obtain a license.

Four new Technicians joined the Amateur Radio Service. Two candidates upgraded to Extra.

Thanks to the following volunteer examiners for their time:

Harry, W7HSA Steve, KD7UBE  
Al, AC7BU Jon, AD7AW  
Rich, KK7VH Steve, AD7AB  
Bill, AD7QI

The next scheduled testing session will be July 8<sup>th</sup>.

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## Doo-Daah Puyallup!!

I'm looking for volunteers to work the Club's booth at the Puyallup Fair!

Every year the Radio Club of Tacoma staffs the **AMATEUR RADIO** booth in the Hobby Hall during the Western Washington Fair in Puyallup. This is a great opportunity to share the joy of radio with the hundreds of visitors to our booth. We will have an HF radio for demonstrations as well as handouts from the ARRL and ARES.

The Fair dates are September 5-21. Hobby Hall hours are 10am-10pm Sunday-Thursday and 10am-11pm Friday and Saturday. There will be three 4-hour shifts per day with 2 people working each shift. Admission tickets will be provided. Parking tickets will be available to people working a late shift, also.

The schedule will be updated on the [www.w7dk.org](http://www.w7dk.org) website. I will be bringing signup sheets to the general meetings or you may call me at 253-274-8657. Please consider volunteering for one or more of these shifts. We can't do it without you.

Thanks,  
Pat Wingerter, WT7N



**Dateline: July 2008**

## **Sparky's "View from the Shack"**

### ***This and that around the club, and more...***

*Sparky's welcomes comments, ideas and letters to "The RCT View", but reserves the right to procrastinate, and generally ignore social engineering or cranky inputs. Editorial philosophy — While there occasionally may be reason and rhyme as we go along, the goal is to ramble through the many and varied activities of the Club and its members as we take another trip around the sun.*

### **The Kirkreit Picnic is front and center**

- Picnic is the story this month...
- Field Day is upon us...
- Attaboys

The annual W7DK at the Beach is again history... This year we returned to Spanaway Lake. The weather, while cooperative, didn't show any sun until we were closing down. A bunch of Hams and their families came by to socialize, eat, and do some bunny hunting. Here's a look back at this year's action.



KD4VOM and XYL Janice asked us to note the special help they had from Steve KD7UBE, XYL Connie Clarke, Maurine, and others who helped setup and decorate our picnic site. A special thanks as well to Rich Patrick KR7W who setup, fielded and assisted veteran and novice bunny hunter's in our special sport. Even KD4VOM found time to chase the elusive bunnies, of course following a detailed tutorial by the master KR7W.







## Field Day is upon us...

By the time you read this, Field Day will be in the History Books. It takes a lot of effort to have a lot of fun, and next month, we'll look back at all the work and time it takes to make a Field Day happen. For now, Bob Purdom AD7LJ and Nick Winter K7MO have the lead jobs...

## Attaboys:

Sparky notes — A special thanks to the folks who are picking up the Open House duty. Bob Purdom AD7LJ, Gary Kohtala K7EK, Al Burleson K7HW, Larry Watson KD4VOM and Gary McAdams WG7X have all taken Saturday morning duty to keep our Clubhouse open and hospitable. Rich N7ANF drops by when he can to critique the operations and offer seasoned advice..., and of course thanks to all those who helped make the Picnic a success.

## A You Tube video worth watching...

A recent ARRL PIO reflector item caught Sparky's eye. Here's the link to a really well done Field Day/Amateur Radio promotional video worth looking over..

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=varHL752Odk>

## View from the Shack...

Summer has finally arrived and our annual programs are clicking along... Mother's Day Brunch delivered a great social event, as did the Kirkreit Picnic. Field day is always a major operation and we'll hardly have that behind us when Hamfest and then W7DK at the Fair come around. Oh... and I almost forgot, hope that the solar cycle will begin to make our favorite pastime return to better rag chews, contests special events and general enjoyment ...

Seems like there is always something to look forward too, and something to look back with fond memories of...

### *The Disclaimer...*

*These articles are intended to browse through recent activities and coming events of possible interest to the Radio Club of Tacoma members. It will of course by design and intent be informal and attempt to record some of the Club's activities that might otherwise go unnoticed.*

Sparky

It's not whether you win or lose, but how you place the blame.

# Happy Birthday July

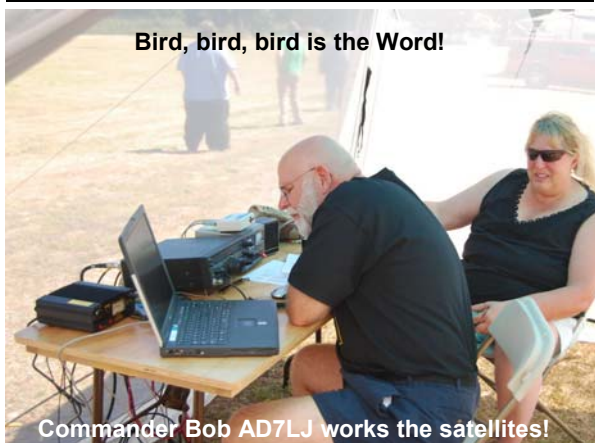
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|-----|--------------------|--------|------------|
| 1   | Marv Jacobson      | KC7JKA | 1831       |
| 2   | Barbara Osborne    | W7UYL  | 337        |
| 2   | Dave Curry         | N7XRJ  | 1554       |
| 2   | Glen Galati        | KA7BOJ | 705        |
| 2   | Keith McIntire     | KB7NVW | 1725       |
| 2   | Pat Wingerter      | WT7N   | 2173       |
| 3   | Jim Wilcox         | KD7ZBK | 2220       |
| 3   | Roland Svensson    | WQ7P   | 2108       |
| 6   | Charles Smith      | KD7UAN | 2166       |
| 8   | Dennis Farnes      | KA7IIV | 1718       |
| 10  | Rick Leary         | W7LKG  | 644        |
| 11  | Marie Fuller       | KA7HEG | 954        |
| 12  | Mike Elwell        | W7GHW  | 2329       |
| 13  | Susan Cox          | KC7OQX | 1875       |
| 16  | Harold Kirkendall  | KE7FCP | 2280       |
| 16  | Lorraine Nelson    | K7LJN  | 2312       |
| 17  | Bob Moore          | N7XRM  | 2337       |
| 20  | Alan Burgstahler   | N7BF   | 2364       |
| 20  | Lorraine Robertson | KA7WGG | 1330       |
| 22  | Sylvia Betts       | KC7UZZ | 1969       |
| 23  | Tom Jonez          | K7TDJ  | 2045       |
| 25  | Bobby McAleer      | KE7QWY | 2353       |
| 25  | Paula Cather       | AB7ME  | 2142       |
| 26  | Charles Rubert     | KA7GAP | 1216       |
| 26  | Gary Robinson      | K7GGR  | 2305       |
| 26  | Karl Moore         | KE7LCY | 2325       |
| 27  | Rob Spiry          | K7SPI  | 2332       |
| 28  | Bob Patrick        | W7EXC  | 2195       |
| 28  | Lynn Neece         | K7OKS  | 2039       |
| 29  | Alan Lentz         | W7AML  | 2249       |



Al , Leonard and Rick's daughter, Hadassah (no call sign, yet) GOTA!



Pete KK7QW and Gary WG7X Dig for a Weak one!



Commander Bob AD7LJ works the satellites!



Nick K7MO and Gilead KE7IGV work 20 Phone.



Don, AC7FA 80 meter CW & 15 Phone



Harry telling Bob where to go, and how to get there!



Harry, K7LAZ on 20 CW



Rich, KR7W working the 40 meter phone station.

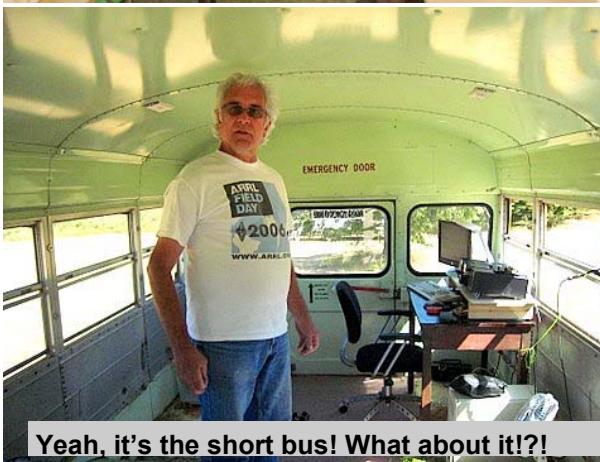




Good times at the 'DK mess tent!



Rick, KE7EMW's safety station.



Yeah, it's the short bus! What about it!?!



CT and Leonard take a break!



Don, AC7FA and AL W7AML work 15 Meters.



No Gary, its CTRL\_ALT-Delete!



GOTA! Need we say more?



Chuck AC7QN, Bob KE7ECQ, and Hadasah on the (left) bicycle.





Jody working the night shift!



Harry's supervising again!



10 meter phone.. A popular meeting place!



AI, W7AML working the big station!



So many supervisors, so little work!



Gary K7UPG working , with supervision (left!)





**Common theme on this page: hands-in-pockets!  
Leonard, Nick, Don, Pete and Chuck, all have the supervisor thing down pat!**





Rich and Chuck try to out-pith Harry N7DOE...



Another great moment in supervisory history!



Steve, KD7UBE loads the golf ball cannon!



See comments above^



Frank AC7JY and Jill K7JIL set up home base.







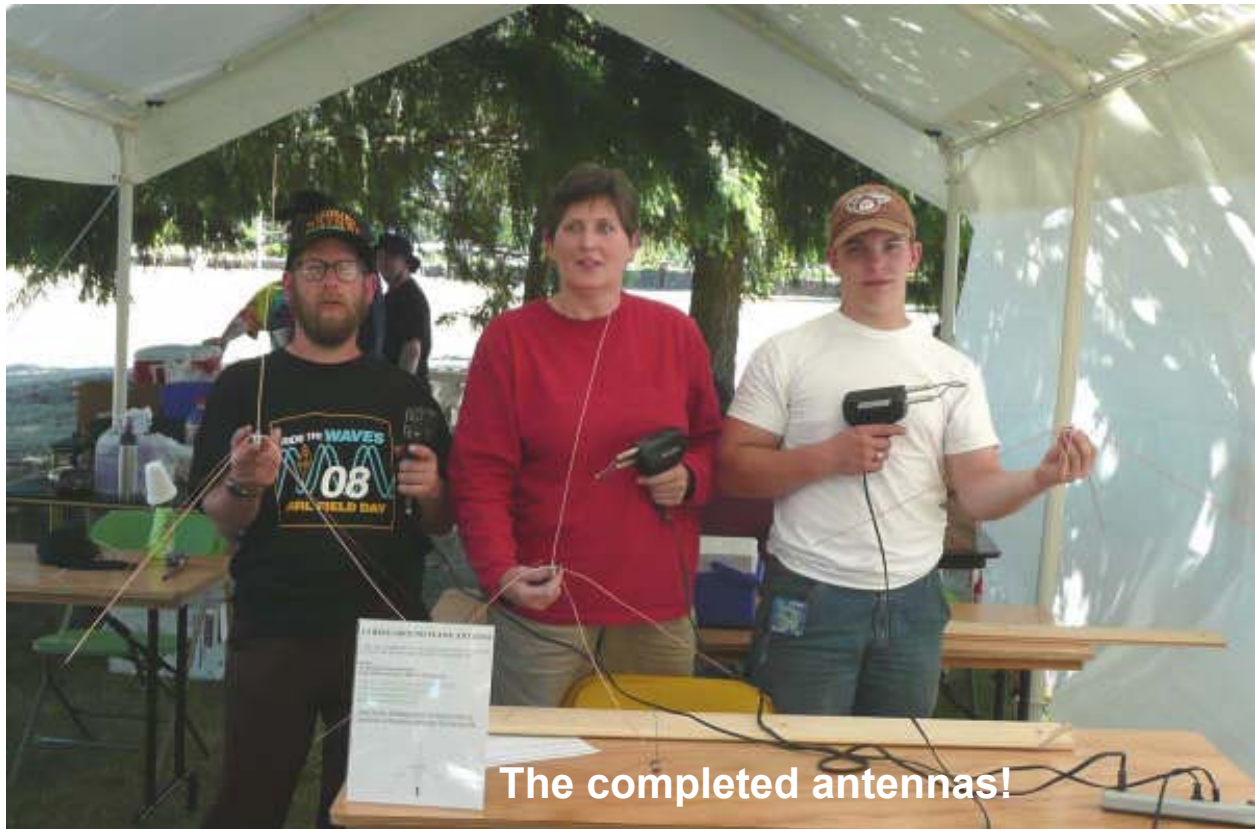


**Chuck AC7QN and Bob KE7ECQ try the alternate power QSO!**



**Extra points are given by the ARRL for an "educational opportunity"... so, Frank AC7JY, gives everyone a class on how to make a two meter ground plane antenna.**







Pete, KK7QW working 10 meter CW! Yeah we worked 10 meters!  
70 QSO's on ten...



**Don AC7FA on 80 CW!**





Just killing time at the ten meter watering hole! Chuck AC7QN, Rick KE7EMW, Rich KR7W and Bob W7EXC.



Chuck AC7QN on 40 phone!





Everybody on this page is hard at work making QSO's during the heat of battle! FD 2008! Go get 'em Boys!

Pictured, in no particular order are: Nick K7MO, Gilead KE7IGV, Harry W7HSA, Worth W7WG, Steve KD7UBE, Bill AD7QI, Al N7OMS, Pete KK7QW.

Check out Nick's new **K3** in the lower right... Some of us are just lucky!









These guys look way too serious! Gary WG7X contemplates band condx on ten, while Pete KK7QW, Bob W7EXC and Chuck AC7QN offer moral support.



Unless you pay the ransom Chuck, I press this button, and the 40meter vertical comes down! Any questions?





These guys know how to do FD... Harry, W7HSA, Worth W7WG and Steve KD7UBE.



Rick, "Hollywood" KE7EMW 'chillin' at the Safety tent!





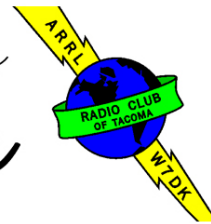
Pete's in his element, pounding out the "CQ's" on ten meter CW!



Just another 'ol hippie van...



*The Radio Club of Tacoma's*  
***Logger's Bark***



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## *Radio Club Repeaters*

*Central Tacoma:* 147.280 + PL=103.5    *Central Tacoma Packet:* 144.970

*Crawford Mountain (SE Thurston County):* 147.380 + PL=103.5

*Central Tacoma:* 440.625 + PL=103.5



***The Loggers Bark***  
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**To RCT Member:**



# July 2008 EVENTS

**CLUB MEETINGS:** Wednesdays July 9th and 23rd at the Library Administration Building 112th and Waller Road. The club meets at 7:30 PM. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Board Meeting:** Tuesday July 2nd, 7:30 PM at the RCT clubhouse. All members are welcome.

**Bark Deadline:** Last week-end of each month. Please submit articles by that time!

**Support our club:** Attend meetings, volunteer, Elmer!

**Check into the weekly two meter net:** Tuesdays at 7:30 PM on the club repeater on 147.280 MHz.

**Check into the weekly 10 meter net:** Sundays at 8:00 PM on 28.375 MHz.